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THERMOMETER RECORD,-The follow

ng shows the range of the thermometer, s observed at Schnepf's drug store, Opera

07 58 WEDNESDAY 12 M. 8 P. M. 56 06

Two marraige licenses were issued

and stuff that has obstructed it for a long

THE colored people are holding a fea-ival at Hope Hall. The Sumner Brass Band is in attendance each evening, and

vas on the street last night drumming up

THE Goff Light Guards yesterday sent to the Children's Home a lot of the neces-saries and luxuries of life, in the way of estables, which no doubt will be relished by the little ones.

High Kicker.—The Top Mill has a nailer in its employ that can kick higher and fall harder llian any man in town. We suggest that he join the Allegheny base ball kickers.

pressing influence on the game dealers. Sales must be rapid or game will spoil. Large numbers of prairie chickens, wild turkeys and quail have been thrown away

12 M. 57

OLD '77 is petering out.

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TUESDAY 3 P. M. 58

For Rent-Dwelling House. Lost-Money, Found-Hat,

Our entire stock to clear at cost. Bear aind, and if you wish a Cashmere or Poplin ou will save money by giving us a call.

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The large house and lot No. 825 Main street. Possession given April 1st, or soon er if desired. Apply to de24

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The Opera House Stores and Bar Roo for rent at reasonable terms. Possessic given immediately. Apply at the office the German Fire Insurance Company Wheeling.

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The comfortable Brick Dwelling House containing uine rooms, No. 41 Fifteenth Bt. For terms, &c., apply to MES, RACHEL HORNBROOK, No. 187 Fourteenth St. Or to ROBT, LUKE.

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FOR RENT-HOUSE - No. 18 SEVENTH STREET. Containing eight rooms, gas and water. Possession to be had immediately.

Apply to JOHN EBBERT,

No. 20 Seventh Street.

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The residence No. 44 Fifteenth street, and a six

Former nonzero the reason, the reason, partial states of Storegiven.

Also, after April 1st, 1878, a number of Storerooms and Dwellings in different parts of the city.

Enquire of H. FORBES,
de6 1142 Chapline Street. FOR RENT-

Warehouse No. 13 Fouriernth street. One of the bast located in the tity for a Commission or Pro-dices Store, being near the E. a O. and P. W. & Ky. Depots. Hent low. Possession can be had immo-diately. Apply to M. I. McCLUNEY.

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Window Sash, Flooring, Fencing, &c. Also, large and heavy Cak Timbers and Plank-ing. The attention of these contemplating build ing in city or country will find it to their interest to call before purchasing classwhere.

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OUSE FOR SALE.—I offer for sale the house on South Front street, Island, in which I now beside. House contains nite rooms, pastry, both riom and water cleart; wash house and coal house in the basement. There are not and cold water and gas fixtu es on all three floors. The lot is 60 by 125 feet, and the grounds well improved.

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JOHN MORGAN, sep27

South Front Street, Island.

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BEWARE OF IMITATIONS, in the target shooting of the Schmulbach Zouaves last Saturday. His record was 33 out of a possible 50. Bold by all Druggists. General Depot at BOY-ER'S, No. 59 Park Place, New York.

The churches would be overdoing the Sabbath School entertainment business just now were members less enthusiastic. As it is, though these entertainments are too numerous to mention, all appear well attended and are doubtless profitable.

Poor Marker.—The market held at the Second Ward Market house yesterday morning was pronounced by old citizens as the poorest ever held there. Only eight wagons were backed in and the Mar-ket Master's complete returns were five dollars and seventy-five cents.

Office 122 Main Street. Fork House, Fulton.

Gats WHEELING, W. VA.

Sabbath School, since isst June, has brought twenty-seven children to the School. On New Year's eve she will receive the first prize awarded in the School, an elegant copy of Bunyan's Pligrim's progress. We regret that we are unable to give her mame.

MECKILLANDOOS AMUSEMENTS.

Two large masquerade halls were given in South Wheeling on Tuesday night, One took place at Notic's and the other electron to the state of the s

CHRISTMAS DAY.

Its Observance in Wheeling—fü-teresting Incidents of the Hotiday.

Another festival day has passed. Kriss Kingle has made all his trips, acraped the soot from thousands upon thousands of chimneys, and left almost countless numbers of little stockings filled to overflowing with the presents he knows so well how to select. Kriss is a gray and wrisk-led old fellow, and has long beard and hair, but his heart must be young, for he always knows just what the children want. And for one who is so much talked about for weeks preceding the arrival of want. And for one who is so much talked about for weeks preceding the arrival of Christmas, and who does so much work and makes so many visits in one night, it is marvellous how he manages to keep from being seen by some of the little bright eyes that watch so earnestly for him until the fingers of sleep close the lids over them, and they only open in the morning to find that Kriss has come and gone while they were slumbering. Let gone while they were slumbering. Let no one dispel this charming dream of guileless childhood. Soon enough the delusion will pass away, and leave nothing but its memory.

JOLLY BIG BUSINESS,

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Thousands of dollars were no doubt spent in purchasing, for old as well as young, presents that made the childish heart estatic, and suffused with a warm and generous glow the hearts of those older ones to whom the chief pleasure of Christmas is the delight it brings to the little ones. The toy and candy stores kept open to a late hour Monday night, and were fully taxed to meet the demand upon them. It is generally conceded and were fully taxed to meet the demand upon them. It is generally conceded that for several years the investments in Christmas presents have been neither so numerous nor so large as this season. The writer yesterday conversed with a number of shopkeepers, all of whom rubbed their hands gleefully when their Christmas trade was mentioned. It had been extensive and profitable, and naturally they were in a good humor over it. Holiday goods generally bring good prices.

GENERALLY OBSERVED.

The day was very generally observed throughout the city. Nearly all of the business houses were closed, while the churches and places of amusement were open. The religiously inclined could by aside the cares of the busy world and enjoy in quiet the devotions incident to the day, while those inclined to make the holiday all feasting and enjoyment, found ample opportunities for so doing.

Asifor the weather on Christmas, it was but a continuation of the splendid weather of two weeks past. The atmosphere was perhaps even milder and balmier than usual—more like May than December. This, of course, led to extensive promenading, and the atreets were thronged all day long with people in holiday attire.

PEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT THE CONCERT AT THE DISCIPLES CHURCE on Christmas evening attracted a large audience. As some of the best known alagers in the city were announced to take part in the musical exercises, the interest in the entertainment was not of a local nature, and the audience included people from all parts of town. We have not the space to publish the programme entire, and can only speak of some of the more principal performers. An address of welcome was delivered by Supt. Geo. F. Irvine; Mr. Oscar Seeley sang in a very acceptable manner "The Buccaneer," Mr. A. B. Wilson declaimed "The Vagabonds" During the eleven years I have been practicing in Wheeling I have administered gas to over seven thousand persons with PERMECT REFERT, and in diment every case with entire satisfaction to myself and patients.

We constantly keen on and patients.
We constantly keep on hands pure Nitrous Uxide
Gas for those that desire to take it.
DR. SUBGISON & SON,
no23 No. 1145 Market St. The Intelligencer. A. B. Wilson declaimed "The Vagabonds" in his usual good style, and Mr. S. C. Wilin nie usun good syle, and arr. S. C. with son soluntered adeclamation, "The Justice," which was well done. The tableaux were: "Re Riding Hood," "Simply to the Cros. I Cling," "Abraham and Isa." "Death of Abraham." The exercises were both interesting and entertain-ing, and we regret that we are compelled to give such a meagre report.

AT THOMSON CHAPEL, AT THOMSON CHAPEL,
on the Island, an interesting musical entertainment was given by the pupils of
the Sabbath School. After the exercises
the children were made happy by being
lauded down with presents, Mr. Charley
Watkins personifying Old Santa Claus.
Some of the older people, too, were made
recipients of handsome presents. Mr. C.
H. Collier, the efficient and popular
Superindendent, who had labored hard
for the success of the entertainment, as he or the success of the entertainment, as he THE striking employes at the Bellaire

Goblet Works have returned to work up-AT MIST WINCHESTER'S "KINDERGARD AN" The scholars of this estimable school on 15th street had a surprise in store for their parents and friends in the way of an entertainment prepared by their teachers. The scholars assembled at half-past one THE striking miners in Bridgeport have gained their point, the operators agreeing to give them the advance asked 25 cents per hundred. The echolars assembled at half-past one o'clock and were soon followed by their parents, who filled the space allotted to them in the "Kindergarten parlor." The walls were beautifully lettered in ferms and moss, and kindergarten work and the Christmas tree was one/of real beauty. Over one mantel in letters of moss were the words de quarry was recruited yesterday by the addition of two members, whose commissions were signed by Judge Cranmer. WE suggest that the pavement on South O. R. R. depot, be cleared of the rubbish

Let us live for our children And over the other, in fern work "Merry Christman."

"Merry Christma."

The exercises consisted of an exhibition of "movements," &c., &c., so peculiar to this admirable system of teaching the children, Kindergarten songs and plays. Soon the "handiwork" of the nimble little Soon the "handiwork" of the nimble little fingers, in the shape of beautiful mats, catch-alis, match boxes, &c., &c., were taken from the tree, and the little ones were carrying them home exclaiming: "Here, mamma, I ande you this. "Isn't this pretty, papa," &c., &c. Happiness was visible in every face, old and young alike enjoying the entertainment. The Misses Winchester have a wonderful adaptation for Kindergarten work as well as a thorough education in it under the ocelerated Miss Cole, of New York, and the exercises, and improvement and interest of the children under their care manifest all these traits. Everybody left the entertainment speaking in the highest praise of the system and its teachers.

The Christmas and its teachers.

New Year's cards for gentlemen are neat rather than striking this year—a plain rectangular card or one with rounded cornerand gill-edge. They are by no means as volgar as the colored ones of 1877.

Bronz, the builder, commences work on Frank Walters' new summer hotel, on the National Road, to-day. He has purchased 170,000 of Shriver's brick for the building, and 10,000 of re siready on the ground ready for use.

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The Christmas presention of premiums will take place. Some \$40 or \$50 was realized by the entertainment Tuesday night.

OTHER SABBATH SCHOOL EXTERTAIN.

MENTS. The First Presbyterian Mission Sab-path School celebrated t' ir fifth Christ-mas anniversary with musical and litermas anniversary with musical and hier-ary exercises. A feast of good things had been prepared for the little folks, and after the programme prepared for the occasion had been carried out, they were treated to Christmas candles, nuts

nd confectionery in abundance.

The children of the Fourth Street M. E. Church received presents of useful ar-ticles, and were correspondingly happy. Down in the Eighth Ward the Sabbath School children enjoyed their annual treats as usual. The Episcopal Mission School was bountifully supplied by the St. Mathews' Sunday School. MISCELLANEOUS AMUSEMENTS.

The Goff Light Guards gave a grand ball at Turner Hall on Tuesday night, It was a very successful affair and, although the crowd was large, the best of order was maintained. The company netted about \$380 by the ball, and desire to express their thanks to the public for its patronage. Billy Mayers' band furnished the music.

The prisoners confined in the county jail were treated to a splendid Christmas dinner by Sheriff Tingle.

A pound party was held at Parker's Hall Christmas evening, which was well attended. The receipts amounted to about \$12.

The Schmulbach Zouaves, in the afternoon, marched out to the Peninsula, in full uniform, and engaged in a sham battle, which was quite interesting, and heartily enjoyed by a large crowd that came out to witness the evolutions of the company.

The fifth annual oyster supper and end of Black Prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room, corner Chapline and 20th streets, on Christmas evening. There was a large crowd in attended to the prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room, corner Chapline and 20th streets, on Christmas evening. There was a large crowd in attended to the prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room, corner Chapline and 20th streets, on Christmas evening. There was a large crowd in attended to the prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room, corner Chapline and 20th streets, on Christmas evening. There was a large crowd in attended to the part of the prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room, corner Chapline and 20th streets, on Christmas evening. There was a large crowd in attended to the prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room corner Chapline and 20th streets, on Christmas evening. There was a large crowd in attended to the prince Lodge No. 10, K, of P, took place at their lodge room corner control to the prince Lodge No. 10 th

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ATTER CHILDREN'S HOVE

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The lady managers of this institution provided a Christmas dinner for the members of the Home family, which was heartily enjoyed by all. No public appeal or announcement had been made, the managers themselves expecting to furnish the dainties. Nevertheless many timels was a support of the control of the contro furnish the dainties. Nevertheless many friends voluntarily sent in provisions and sweetmeats of all kinds. Mrs. W. J. Butler, the President, was present, as also several other of the lady managers. Dinner was served at noon, and was enjoyed greatly by the many children who in past years knew nothing of happy Christmas tide, but who now have a home, friends and good instruction. In the evening the children attended the entertainment of the Presbyterian Mission evening the children attended the enter-tainment of the Presbyterian Mission School in East Wheeling, W. A. List, Superintendent, and were each presented with a gift of some sort to brighten their eyes and gladden their hearts. The Home is in an admirable sanitary condi-tion and reflects credit upon the orderly matron and her assistants.

AT THE CHURCHES

Although the musical part of the ser-vices in several of the churches on Christ-mas day was of more than usual importance and completeness, yet that elabo ateness as in years gone by was absen-Times are hard, and congregations canno afford to spend much money in procuring artists as soloists.

AT THE ST. ALPHONSUS CHURCH. AT THE ST. ALPHONSUS CHURCH.
On Christmas eve the confessionals were crowded and on the following morning not only the body of the spacious edifice, but the communion rails were perfectly filled. There were six masses celebrated, commencing at 5 o'clock, A.M. The interior of the church itself was indeed very beautifully decorated. At ten o'clock Rev. Father Collins celebrated the High Mass, during which Rev. Father Kruesche preached an elegant and effective sermon on the "Incarnation of the Second Person of the most Adorable Trinity." The morning service terminatof the Second Person of the most Adorable Trinity." The morning service terminated with the singing of the Te Deum by the whole congregation, led by the efficient choir, under the superintendence of Prof. Lut. At 2½ o'clock respers took place, during which the various sodalities went in procession before the Most Blessed Sacrament. After respers the sodalities proceeded to St. Alphonaus school house, where the Rev. Father Collins, after having preached feelingly on the Goodness of God," in appointing over each one of us a special guardian angel, blessed a very beautiful altar and statue of the "Angel Guardian."

THE TEMPERANCE PROPLE THE TEMPERANCE PROPLE
held the fort at Ott's Hall, and a large
and enthusiastic meeting was addressed
on Christmas afternoon by Capt. John
Carlio and others. In the evening a full
meeting was held in this hall, and remarks were made by recognized. marks were made by prominent speaker in the movement. The meeting was spir ited, although not spirituous, and the audience apparently took much interes

PERSONAL POINTS.—Mrs. Dr. Lyda and daughter were among the passengers on the steamer Hudson, Tuesday. They go to Parkersburg to spend the holidays.

Mr. Francis H. Murphy and family, of Macon City, Mo., who have been making a visit to friends in this city, left for their Western home last evening.

Miss Amelia Penbody, organist at the Benwood M. E. Church, was recently presented with an elegant ring by members of the church, as a token of their appreciation of her services.

At the Catholic festival, in Benwood, which closed Tuesday evening, Maggie Springer won a set of furniture and Mary Wilbert a fine doll.

Rev. J. G. Armstrong, rector of St. Mathews Church, last evening delivered one of his series of lectures on "Objections to Christianity."

Miss Carroll, an accomplished musical targets the statement of th PERSONAL POINTS .- Mrs. Dr. Lyda and

Miss Carroll, an accomplished musical teacher, has taken charge of the musical department of the Mission Sabbath School ected with St. Mathew's Church

Col. W. A. Waugh, of the St. James Hotel, was on Christmas day presented with an elegant gold-headed cane by "two

present from a distant friend
Our corpulent and handsome Market
Master, Jake Bentz, has had a nobby gold
watch and chain added to his already

TEMPERANCE NOTES.—Messrs. B. B. Porter and James Cunningham, jr., will address a meeting at Ott's Itali to-night. The latter gentlemen has been traveling through this State, and will no doubt give some interesting details of his travels. travels.
At Parkers' Hall a large temperance

meeting was held last night, Mr. Wilbur Trueman conducting. Speeches were de-livered by Messrs. Noble Conway and L. Martin, of Bridgeport; James Cunning-ham, jr., Mr. Browning, Mr. Trueman and President Richards. A meeting will be held this evening. TRESTLEWORK .- The contractor yester

TREFILEWORK.—The contractor yester-day commenced digging the foundations for the trestlework from the P. W. & Ky. freight depot to the paved wharf. The trestles will be so arranged as to give an easy grade to the railroad track and be high enough to silow the passage underneath of loaded drays and wagons on the road from the wharf running up to Fourteenth street.

MUNICIPAL COURT-Judge Cranmer.

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The Municipal Court met yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment of Tuesday. Business was transacted as follows:

Thomas Hughes & Co. vs Susan R. Hamilton and others, in chancery. Order entered directing the Special Receiver to pay to the Commissioner the amount is his hands.

Bernard Rosenstein vs C. H. Booth & amount is his hands.

Bernard Rosenstein vs C. H. Booth &

Son, in assumpsit. Plaintiff non-sui suited. Adjourned until this morning at 91

Police Court-Judge Cranmer. The docket on Christmas morning wa

Prostitution—Jennie Norringten, Mrs. John Shipp and Julia Chisel were fined \$20 and costs each, and Jennie Gray \$10 and costs, for keeping houses of prostitution. The following parties were fined in the amounts named for prostitution: Ida Florence, Mary Florence, Maggie Mitchell, Maud Stanley, Mary Mathews, Belle ell, Maud Stanley, Mary Mathews, Belle ell, Maud Stanley, Minnie Carmichael, Minnie Andes, John Smith and Peter Jones \$5 and costs cach; Harry Peterson, \$20 and costs; James Sanderson, Wm. James and James Smith, \$10 and costs each. All paid their fines.

Drunkennesa—Cornelius Vance, \$2 and costs. Committed.

Disorderly—John Miller, \$2 and costs. Committed. Prostitution-Jennie Norrington, Mrs

Committed.
Vagrancy—Morris Price, \$2 and costs
Execution suspended upon defendant
agreeing to leave the city immediately.
Yesterday morning the following dockt was disposed of:
John Williams, disorderly conduct, \$1
und costs. Paid.
John Petersburg, disorderly

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John Petersburg, disorderly conduct,
\$2 and costs. Paid.
Burk Watson, charged with assaulting
Thos. W. Cassiday, paid a fine of \$5 and

Wm. Carney, disorderly conduct, \$5 and costs. Paid. James Gallagher, disorderly, \$2 and

Wm. Gauding, disorderly, case dismissed.

Alex Gardiner (colored), disorderly,
\$2 and costs. Paid.

John Forrest, for picking Wm. Wilder's pockets, was fined \$20. Committed in default of payment.

Dennis Duly, drunkenness, \$2 and costs.
Committed

Committed, The cases against Robert Appleton and J. H. Satherland, charged with gaming, were continued until Saturday.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—On Tuesday eve OFFICKES ELECTED.—On Treeday evening the following officers were elected by Excelsion 'Lodge No. 40, I. O. O. F.; John II Greer, N. G.; John W. C. Smith, D. G.; S. D. Tippett, Secretary; Geo. McCully, Treasurer, C. H. Deiters, Trustee; C. H. Deiters, W. M. Botsford and M. Emsheiner, Widows' and Orphans' Committee.

The fith annual election of officers for the Franklin Building Association took

the Franklin Building Association took place last evening, and the following gen

place last evening, and the following gentlemen were chosen: President, Chas. H. Berry; Vice President, R. J. Smyth; Secretary, Chas. W. Conner; Trensurer, Wm. O Wilkinson; Directors, Isaiah Warren, Grafton A. Beall, Jno, S. Trimble, Geo. Hook, Edmand Hobbs, sr., J. A. Jefferson and W. J. Hamilton.

At the annual election of officers for the Wheeling Mission Eng. Evan. Lutheran Sunday School, held last night, the following were chosen: Superintendent, John fl. Zevely; Assistant Superintendent, Thomas B. Smith; Secretary, Wm. Huggin; Trensurer, Edwin S. R. Burt; Librarians, Wm. West, J. Morgan Gouter, Jesse Murrin; Superintendent Jewel De-Jesse Murrin; Superintendent Jewel De partment, Miss Mary Robertson; Assist sat Superintendent, Edward Huggin The meeting was a very harmonious on and the election of the above officer

Eintracht Lodge, No 284 D. O. H., last Eintracht Lodge, No. 284 D. O. H., last Monday elected the following officers for the next six months: Ex. B., Uarl Roepke; O. B., Chas. H. Meyer; U. B., Phill. Vaith; Reo., Edward Voss; Treas., John Heisner; Trustees, John Schneider, F. Appel, Wm. Meyn. Hermann Lodge, No. 4'A. O. U. H., last night elected the following officers for the pext term: Ex. M. W. Pes Schung.

with an elegant gold-headed cane by "two old bachelors" who board with him.

Mr. Curran Mendel yesterday left for his home at Tayloraville, Williamson county, Texas, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Mester Burnie McLure.

Missee Ida Todd and Minnie Junkins are home from Shady Side; and Misse Emma Patterson from Beaver, and Mr. James Holloway from Hudson College, for a two weeks' vacation. All Bridge-porters.

or a two weeks' vacation. All Bridge-orters.

Mrs. S. Brady went East Christmas working as a deck hand on the towboat Monitor, fell overboard from that boat Mrs. S. Brady went East Christmas
Monitor, fell overboard from that boat
no Saturday morning last about 30 clock,
the was wheeling.
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PRESENTED WITH A PIPE.-On Christ

Sincerely your friend, HENRY M. MATHEWS.

meath of loaded drays and wagons on the road from the wharf running up to Fourteenth street.

BE on time. For prevention is better than cure. All Coughs and Colds and such affections of the throat and lungs as lead to consumption are cured by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

CLEANED OUT His CELLAR.—On Tuesday. "Castle Row" is a new name for the "Lava Beds."

THERE is a strong probability that the amount parties fined for gambling, on Saturday night last, will conset the constitution-ality of the manner in which the fine was accessed, and if possible recover the amount paid to the City Sergeant.

Ostro Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M.—A brief sketch of Ohio Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. Masons, whose newly elected officers were installed last evening, will no doubt be read with interest by the Masonic brethren of the city and vicinity. On the 5th of May, 1815, this lodge in-vested the following officers. I super F.

brethren of the city and vicinity.

On the 5th of May, 1815, this lodge invested the following officers: James F. Relfe, W. M.; William Harkins, S. W.; John Richardson, J. W.; Joseph Caldwell, Treasurer; Thomas Tonner, Secretary; Amos Mix, S. D.; Artemas Baker, J. D., and Robert Morrow, Tyler. Three score years and two, nearly the alloted years of man, have elapsed since then, and none are left of that number to tell of the trials and vicissitudes through which they passed.

In the history of Ohio Lodge names appear renowned in story, and none more so than those of Noah Zane and Philip Doddridge. Who acquainted with the history of Virginia has not heard of Philip Doddridge flillated, having previously been a member of Mingo Lodge (No. 78, of Ohio. The charter of Mingo Lodge (No. 78, of Ohio. The charter of Mingo Lodge (No. 78, of Ohio. The charter of Mingo Lodge (No. 78, of Ohio. The charter of Mingo Lodge dates far back in 177—. On the 23d of May, 1825, Brothers General Lafayette, George Washington Lafayette, Lavasserr and Collin King entered the Lodge. General Lafayette was conducted to the East and was addressed by Wor. Morgan Nelson, D. D., Grand Master, as follows:

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ter, as follows:
"ILLUSTRIOUS SIR-On behalf of the "ILLUSTRIOUS SER—On behalf of the brethren here assembled, permit me the pleasure of bidding you welcome within these walls, dedicated to friendship and brotherly love. In common with our fellow-creatures we cherish the warmest sentiments of admiration for the princi-

sentiments of admiration for the princi-ples and actions which have marked every period of your life. Accept the homage of our gratitude for your arduous exertions in the great cause of American liberty. It is no small addition to our joy that you suffer us to address you by the endearing appellation of brother; that while many of the monarchs of the old world exhibit towards Free Masonry the like spirit of hostility as toward the the like spirit of hostility as toward the cause of human liberty, you deem it not derogatory to your dignity to level derogatory to your dignity to level yourself with the fraternity and signify your approbation of those-philanthropic principles which are the basis of our in-stitutions.

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"Be pleased, sir, to accept my right hand, that ancient token of brotherly love, and allow me to express my fervent wishes that the evening of your days may prove as series as your past life has been eventful and glorious."

Gen. Lafayette, in reply, said: That he felt thankful for the kind sentiments expressed toward him; that it was gratifying for him to meet with the same cordial reception in Western Virginia with which his Masonic brethren had often honered him in other places; that with which his Masonic preinten has often honered him in other places; that he had always entertained a high esteem for the Masonic institution, but more especially since it had experienced the bitter persecutions of the European des-pots who had vainly attempted its de-aturation.

struction.
February 5th, 1827, Jacob Singleton, the oldest surviving member of the Lodge, was raised. Mr. Singleton is now a resident of Illinois. The oldest surviving resident member is Louis S. Delaplain, raised October 1, 1838.
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The Lodge continued to hold its meetings, notwithstanding the darkness of the anti-Masonic gloom of 1831 which overspread the northern portion of our Masonic family, and though no degrees were conferred during that year, old "Ohio Lodge withstood the fanatical Morgan raid and lived through all.

Coming down to later days, February 22d, 1854, the lodge moved to the Washington Hall building, and held their first meeting in the third story of the same that evening.

We have placed upon record as the members of Ohio Lodge, the honored names of Zane, Doddridge, Caldwell, and we will add to the list those of Chapline, Clemens, Goshorn, Houston and Bayha,

Clemens, Goshorn, Houston and Bayha names inseperable from the history of Wheeling, and to which no words of ours can add one ray or dim the glory of their

orightness. We did not start out to write a histor We did not start out to write a history of Ohio Lodge. He does not live who can. We merely wanted to note that last evening the officers elected at the first stated meeting in this month were installed. They are: Chas. H. Collier, W. M.; Joseph Hall, S. W.; Isano V. Barton, J. W.; Richard Savage, Treasurer, A. H. Forgey, Sec'y; F. Enloy'S. D.; A. M. Dray, J. D.; T. Bliss, Tyler. We have wandered from our purpose, perhaps, but the fraternity to-day numbers among its members many of our best citizens, and

nay not be amiss to look back upon th bygone and consider whether they iving lives that will cause their fut white cause their further white of them, "they what they could for the advancement a fraternity to which good men in ages have allied themselves."

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"THE SHAUGHRAUN."—The sale of seats for "The Shaughraun" engagement commenced yesterday, at Adams & Lucas music store, and will be continued every day during the week. The St. Louis Republican says of Boucicault's "Shaughraun"

"As a piece of stage mechanism it is perfect. Language is used only to outline character and illustrate situation—and the play is ae model of speech economy. Nothing is spoken that can be rendered by action, and the play is peculiarly rich in business and pantomime. It also has some starting scenic effects, but these are entirely subordinate to the business of the scene. Nothing merely for show; everything for the deeper interest of the plot and the story of The Shaughiaun.' It is a romantic Irish drama, inwrought and colored with the true Irish domestic feeling and sentiment and wit. Its situations are natural, its action is remarkably smooth, its motive under the freitino of nationalities strikes dealers.

GRESTMAS CASUALTIES.—A little son of Mr. Z. A. Beymer, residing on the Island, met with a painful accident on Christmas. While shooting a small canon, with several other boys, a bottle containing powder in some way became ignited and exploded, throwing the glass in every direction. A piece of the glass struck young Beymer upon the right cheek, immediately under the eye, cutting the flesh to the bone. Atthough painful, the wound is not of a serious nature.

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PRESENTED WITH A PIPE.—On Christmas morning Gov. Mathews was presented, by the non-commissioned officers of the Mathews Light Guards, with a beautiful mecrachaum pipe. The pipe was one of a collection exhibited at the Centennial Exposition, and has upon its bowl the coat of arms and the motto of the State of West Virginia, engravad in a very artistic manner. His Excellency addressed the following note to the donors:

GENTLEMEN—Please accept my sincer thanks for the beautiful present. The pipe is very handsome, a highly creditable specimen of American industry, and an interesting souvenir of the Centennial, but it will be prized especially as a testimonial of your kind feeling for me. I will preserve it with great care. With an earnest desire for your health and prosperily always, and wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, I am

Sincerely your friend,

Have M Maximus.

About 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon a horse belonging to Peter Erb, and driven by Taylor Cunningham in a light buggs, the by Taylor Cunningham in a light buggs, and bruising them severely. The buggs, and bruising them About 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon a

Sounds PROM "CASTLE Row."—Mary McGill was before Justice Bulger yesterday, to answer a charge of committing a breach of the peace "by breaking in the house of Wm. Rankin, agent, and breaking the windows in the house, and raising a general disturbance at 'Castle Row." The charge was not sustained, and the defendant was dismissed from custody, "Castle Row" is a new name for the "Lava Eeds."

THE NEUMAUSER LEQUOR CASES.—The MORITE ETHER & Co., Philadelphia THE NEURAUSER LIQUOS CASES.—The liquor cases against August Neuhausen, propristor of the Belvidere Summer Garden, were examined by Justice Phillips yesterday. Judge Kennedy appeared for the prosecution, the Prosecuting Attorney being engaged in the County Court, and Ex-Gov. Jacob represented the defense. The examination resulted in three distinct cases against the defendant being sent to the County Court, viz: permitting a gaming table on his premises, selling liquor to minors and selling liquor on Sunday. In the first case Mr. Neuhausen was recognized in \$200, and \$100 in each of the others, for his appearance for trial

VERILLY Christmas brings its sorrows for some as well as joys. A youthful watchmaker in a certain jewelry store on Market street, near 12th, was presented with a tin whistle, gum rattle, and sugaritt by some of his intimate acquaintances who understand and appreciate his requirements. But strange as it may seem his face now wears a look of sorrow, while he exhibits on his front teeth a standing reward for his unknown benefactors, and you have only to ask him what he got on Christmas to render the air "Hayesy" for an indefinite period.

ADAMS & LUCAS Music Store, 1227 Market street, 1327 Market stree VERILY Christmas brings Its sorrows

A WHISTLE AS IS A WHISTLE.—Capt. Dillon says that some people along the river averred that the steam whistle on the Phaeton was of too mild a tone to be heard, and that consequently he often passed without their knowledge and much to their disappointment sometimes. Yearday he had a new one put on, which will shake off all the fruit, sour all the milk, addle all the eggs and bring rain twice a week all along his route. He thinks it will do and so do we. A WHISTLE AS IS A WHISTLE.-Capt.

THE rehearsals for the 15th anniver THE rehearsals for the John anniversary of the Wheeling Mission (English Latheran) Sunday School are progressing finely, and New Year's night will witnessone of the finest entertainments yet given by this, the Jargest Sunday School is one of the inest entertainments yet given by this, the largest Sunday School in West Virginia. Patience and win are among the watchwords of this Sunday School, and hence it has the encourage-ment of every lady who desires the lifting up of humanity and the proper culture of children.

GAME.—Venison is now coming freely into market, but is sparingly bought by restaurateurs, so the weather is not yet cold enough to preserve it. The venison desired by them is that procured in the Northwest, and some of our leading cater-ers have agents in that section of the country to procure this game meat for our market. Wild fowl are abundant, and appear prominently on the cartes of o

THE Italians who peddle statuettes about the streets exhibit a little American enterprise in doing away with the conventionel horse or warrior now and substituting a figure of Santa Claus, He is not usually a very handsome personage in the figures, but he bears a look that for benignance and benevolence would do credit to any deacon of the city.

The managers of the masquerade in Cook's hall, Bridgeport, this evening, intend to prevent the party from being imposed upon by uninvited persons, by appointing a committee whose duties it will be to receive all guests, and know that they have been invited, before entering the hall. A DEED made by Geo. C. McColloch to A DEED made by Geo. C. McColloch to John W. McColloch, transferring the in-dividual one-half of forty acres of wheat now in the ground, on the Reilly farm, about four miles above the city, was ad-mitted to record in the County Clerk's office yesterday. Consideration \$300.

No Case,-Alex. Garden, a NO CASE.—Arex. Charges, a conse-colored Anglo-African, was belore Justice Phillips yesterday, charged with commit-ting an assault upon Joseph Tolivar, alro a man of color. The evidence adduced did not sustain the charge, and the case

THE extent to which theatrical scenes are illustrated in bad wood-cuts, stuck up by the bill-posters, is becoming something alarming. It doesn't cultiwate high art. It is really possible to see most of a theatrical performance without going to the theater at all, just by studying the scenes on the dead walls.

rigilance committee for protection against the depredations of some vandals who have of late annoyed them exceedingly by tearing down their fences. If any of the rascals are caught they will be severely dealt with;

ISLAND people talk of organizing

THE annoyance occasioned by the continual crying of the Baby at once ceases when the cause (as it should be) is promptly removed by using Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. 25 cents per bottle.

as it is, there is more in it and of it than can well manage. That man who can gli it with his purpose, is aloing a man's work. It is eternal, and always with us; a point so fine that it cannot be measured by action. Though short, it is "great and strong." It is hot and scorching. It's shadows do not fall east or west; like noon, the shadow it makes falls straight from sky to earth—straight from heaven to hell!"

"The present only is our:

Allegheny Cattle.

EAST LIBERTY, December 26.—CATTLE—Receipts to-day, 31 for the two days. No through cattle in the yards at all. Prime 35 255 (50, good \$2.7505.C), common \$4.255.55 (50, good \$2.750

"The present only is our;
The past belongs to God,"
Is is a golden moment; it is gold; throw Is is a golden moment; it is gold; throw not one grain away. Let it produce and not consume. Think nothing too trifling to deserve your attention. "Deprive yourself of nothing necessary to comfort, but live in honorable simplicity and frugality," and "weave every day the passing life into the coming life—so closely that you may be unconscious of the joining, and, if possible, make the whole place bear fair proportions and just figures—"No one can perform in full the duties of the present to themselves or others, who suffer from the homorhoids. Therefore your present duty is to avail yourself of Dr. Well's new, sure and permanent cure of Piles, or no pay. Of lice and residence No. 1060 Main street.

UNUSUAL ATTRACTIONS, — Great Bargaina.—John Roemer, at 2019 and 2021 Main street, has just received:
Twenty pieces of Black and Colored French Cassimeres at 60c, 70c, 80c, 90c, \$1 00 and \$1.25.

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Fifty pieces of Fancy Dress Goods at 10c, 124c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c.
One hundred dozen of Ladies' and Children's Fancy and Plain Hose at 10c, 124c, 20c and 25c.
Cloaks, Slawis and Toys at almost your own price.
Good Carpet for 15c.
Good Ingrain Carpet for 30c,
The largest stock of Domestics at very low prices. Special attention to orders sent by mail.

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Down! Down! Down — Another break down in prices of Dry. Goods and Carpets, Bound to sell at some price whether the mills run or not. Corner Main and 20th streets.

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control States are recommending it to their customers. Go to your Druggie, and ask what they know about it. Sample Bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. Three doses will relieve any case, today

The local packets put in their appearance as usual with fair tripe.
The Express, for Cincinnati, passed down on Tuesday at noon, and the Audelft at 3 o'clock for the same port.
The Carrie Brooks, for Zaneville, passed down yesterday morning.
The Katie Stockdale will pass down

By Telegraph.

lightly during the last 48 hours, Weathgrowing colder. Wind north west; Mercury 36 to 52°. River 8 feet and rising
slowly. Business very light.
NEW YORK, December 26, Arrived
Steamers Lessing from Hamburg, Schiedam from Rotterdam, Abysinia from
Liverpool,
LONDON, December 26, Arrived-Steamer Braunschwieg from Baltimore.
CINGINNATI, December 26.—River II
feet, I inch rising.' Weather cloudy and
cool. Departed.—J. D. Parker, Memphis,
den Crown, New Orleans.

Pittsburgh Market.

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River News.

to-night.
The Granile State, from Portsmouth to Pittsburgh, passed up at dark last night. She was due here at noon.
The Emma Graham, from Pittsburgh, will pass down at 4 P. M. to-day.
The towboat Whale was loading a barge with iron yesterday at the Ema Mill.
River 5 feet 10 inches and falling.

By Telegraph.

Pitrsnunger, December 26.—River 3 feet 6 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy and rainy.

Evansyuria, December 26.—Rined lightly during the last 48 hours. Weatherstrays and the state of the last 48 hours.

Petrsbungh, December 26.—Petroleum— Dull; crude at \$1 921/4 at Parker's; refined at 13c Philadelphia delivery. Allegheny Cattle.

C C. OLMSTED, M. D.,

WHERLING, W. VA.